

SENATE BILL 1547  
By Ford

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49  
and Title 71, relative to transportation of children.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-3-502(d)(7)(C), is amended by deleting subdivisin (iii) thereof and by substituting instead the following:

(iii) The department shall also promulgate rules providing that on and after January 1, 2006, all vehicles of a child care center providing transportation of children for the center shall be equipped with a security alarm system. The system shall be ignition-based and shall prompt staff to inspect the vehicle for children before an alarm sounds.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.